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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
KENICHI OHTA) : Examiner: J. Thompson
Appln. No.: 09/769,330) : Art Unit: 2624
Filed: January 26, 2001) :
For: IMAGE PROCESSING)
APPARATUS, IMAGE) :
PROCESSING METHOD, AND)
STORAGE MEDIUM : June 12, 2006

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION
AND
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants petition to extend the time for response to the Office Action of January 12, 2006, to June 12, 2006. A check in the amount of \$450.00 in payment of the extension fee is enclosed. Please charge any additional fee and credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account 06-1205.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on

June 12, 2006

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Signature

June 12, 2006

Date of Signature

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In response to that Office Action dated, please consider the following

Remarks.